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Banks.

HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION & 500,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$27,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-A. McIven, Esq.

Deputy Chairman-M. GROTE, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, ..... THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MAKAGEB.

Shanghai ...... Ewen Cameson, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

Bank.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Drafts granted on London, and

Australia, America, Chine and Japan.

Hongkong, February 27, 1886.

Oredits granted on approved Securities,

NOTIOE.

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG

SAVINGS BANK

1 .- The business of the above Bank will

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

at one time will not be received.

3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

in any one year,

their daily balances."

be conducted by the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their

promises in Hongkong. Business hours

on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10

depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-

poration on fixed deposit for 12 months

annum will be allowed to depositors on

with a Pass-Book which must be pre-

sented with each payment or with-

any entries themselves in their Pass-

Books but should send them to be

the beginning of January and begin-

the Bank if marked On Hongkong

Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free

-Withdrawals may be made on demand.

but the personal attendance of the

For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

T. JACKSON,

Ohief Manager.

CORPORATION,

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION, LIMITED.

CTHORISED CAPITAL .....£2,000,000

PAID-UP...... 500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE,

40, THREADNERDLE STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:

In India, China, Japan and the Colonics.

THE Bank RECEIVES Money on Deposit,

Collection, and transacts Banking and

Agency Business generally on terms to be

APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL

BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the

1.—By an immediate Payment in Cash of

HOLDERS OF THIS STOOK incur no liability

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG DAIRY.

number of First Class MILCHOOW

Orders sent to the Repository will be

HONGKONG STEAM BAKERY.

NOTICE.

TROM lat March the Price for Finst

COLLET HOUSEHOLD BREAD

is again in a position to SUPPLY his of

Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

punctually attended to.

KENNEDY having received

H. A. HERBERT,

Hongkong Branch.

not less than 90 % for the whole

Balances of such Ulaims, purchased

multiple of \$100.

Hongkong, February 15, 1886.

had on application.

buys and sells Bills of Exchange,

by the various British Post Offices in

6 .- Correspondence as to the business of

Hongkong and China.

Hongkong, May 7, 1885.

written up at least twice a year, about

Depositors must not make

at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4. -Interest at the rate of 31 per cent per

5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

T. JACKBON,

Chief Manager.

N Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily

4 per cent. H

5 per cent. "

- HONGKONG.

For Fixed Deposits :-

Exchange business transacted.

halance.

TON, Eag.

Hon. W. KESWICE.

A. P. McEwen, Esq.

Hon, F. D. SASSOON.

or Dividends,.....

號七十月三年六十八百八千一英

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1886.

February,

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

1B45.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-THURSDAY, the 18th March, 1886, at 2 p.m., at No.

Seymour Terrace,-THE WHOLE OF THE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM

SUITE, CENTRE TABLES, CARD TABLE, CHIM-NEY GLASSES, CENTRE CARPET, HEARTH Rugs, and Picrukes. TEAR EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDE- BLACK-WOOD MARBLE TOP STOOLS, BLACK

WARE, and GLASS BOOK CASE. DOUBLE IRON BEDSTRAD, IRON COT, CHE.

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE. - As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer. Hongkong, March 12, 1886.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE following Particulars and Condi tions of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on the spot, on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of March, 1886. at 4 r.m., are published for general informa-

By Command, FREDERICK STEWART. Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 27th February, 1886.

Particulars and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held or TUESDAY, the 23rd day of March. 1886, at 4 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of Three Lots of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years.

Particulars of the Lots.

Boundary ... monte Rural Building Lot 40 270 114 166 116 81, 421 70 650 229 84,277 75 400

Conditions of Sale. 1. The highest bidder above the upset color and price shall be the Purchaser, and if any dispute arise between two or more bidders. the Lot in dispute shall be put up again at a former bidding.

> advance less than \$10. 3. Immediately after the fall of the hammer, the Purchaser shall sign the Memorandum of Agreement hereinafter contained, for completing the purchase according to these conditions, and shall, within Three Days of the day of sale, pay into the Colonial Treasury, the full amount of Premium at which the Lot shall have

been purchased. 4. The Purchaser of each Lot shall also pay to the Registrar of the Supreme Court on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen, the sum of \$10 within three days of the day of sale, for and in consideration of the Boundary Stones properly cut, fixed, and marked with the Registry Number, which shall be placed by the Surveyor General, for the Purchaser, at each angle of each Lot.

5. The Purchaser of each Lot shall pay to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, on behalf of Her Majesty the QUEEN, a Fee of \$15 upon the execution of the Crown Lease

6. The Purchaser of each Lot shall-build and finish fit for occupation before the expiration of twelve calendar months from the day of sale, in a good, substantial and workmanlike manner, one good and permanent messuage or tenement upon some part of his Lot, and shall expend thereon a sum of not less than \$4,000 (Four thousand dollars). The purchaser shall also construct all the necessary covered drains to carry off the waste and refuse water from the main building, cook-house, and outoffices, and conduct the said waste and refuse water into one or more air and water-tight cosspits, or tanks, to be constructed on some portion of the Lot in a good, substantial, and workmanlike manner to the entire satisfaction of the Surveyor General; no sewage or refuse water will be allowed to flow on, to, or through, any of the adjoining lands, whether belonging to the Orown or to private persons, nor shall the contents of such cesspits be emptied on Crown Land or any Government road or drain, neither shall any decaying, noisome, noxious, excrementitious, or other refuse matter be desposited on any portion of the Lot. . The Crown Lessons shall see that all 4 p.m.

such Crown Lesse shall be subject to and contain all Exceptions, Reservations, Covenants, Clouses, and Conditions, inserted in the Crown Leases of Rural Building Lots in 444- the Colony of Hongkong.

8. Should the Purchaser neglect, or fail to comply with these Conditions, his Premium, or any portion thereof which may be paid, shall be thereupon forfeited ses shall be made good by the defaulter and be recoverable as liquidated damages. 9. Possession of the Lot sold shall be given to the Purchaser, and deemed to have

日二十月二年戌丙 Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Roy. F. A. J. GACE, R. N. to Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY

the 23rd March, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his Rosidence, No. 8, Seymour Terrace,-THE WHOLE OF THE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :-ENGLISH-MADE WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM BUILE, BOMBAY BLACK-WOOD CENTRE TABLE, BLACK-WOOD CARVED INLAID BRACKETS,

BOARD and WHATNOTS; DINNER, DESSERT and GOLD CHIMNEY GLASSES, DAVENPORT, and BREAKFAST SETS, GLASS and PLATED EMBROIDERED SUROLLS and ORNAMENTS. CARPET and HEARTH RUGS. EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, VAL GLASS, WARDROBES, DAVENPORT, MAR- WHATNOTS, TEAK CARD-TABLE, DINNER BLE-TOP TOILET TABLE and WASHSTANDS. DESSERT and BREAKFAST SETS, GLASS and A SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by BROAD- PLATED-WARE, VIENNA and ARM CHAIRS. Double and single iron Bedsteads, WARDROBE with PLATE GLASS DOOR, ENG-LISH-MADE MAHOGANY CHEST OF DRAWERS.

Tollet Table with Glass, MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND and CHEVAL-GLASS. A COTTAGE PIANO, by CRAMER & Co. ONE DOUBLE-BARRELLED 12-BORE CEN-TRAL FIRE BREACH LOADING FOWL-

ING PIECE, by Coyswell & Harrison. &c., . Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE. - As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Notices of Firms.

Hongkong, March 16, 1886.

NOTIOE.

TURING the Absence of our Mr. O D. BOTTOMLEY, Mr. THOMAS EDMOND DAVIES is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, March 16, 1886. NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. HENRY DE COURCY FORBES in our Firm in China, Hongkong and elsewhere, CEASED on the 31st December, 1884. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 22, 1886. NOTIOE.

AY. Brother, Mr. HERBERT D. HUT-CHISON, has been authorised to Sign per Pro during my Absence from the JOHN D. HUTCHISON,

Merchant.

Hongkong. 22nd February, 1886.

NOTICE.

ATR. RICHARD MARTEN has been 2. No person shall at any bidding VI Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm RADECKER & Co.

Hongkong, March 15, 1886.

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. S. Ashron, will be Capt. S. Ashron, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 18th Inst, at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Pessage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, March 16, 1886. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

AVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain SWART, will be despatched as above on For Freight or Passage, apply to

THURSDAY, the 18th Inst., at Daylight. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, March 16, 1886.

FOR HOIHOW, PAKHOI AND

HAIPHONG.

The British Steamer Capt. STAVERS, will load as above and be despatched on THURSDAY, the 18th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to AH YON & Co.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, March 15, 1886.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. The Steamship

Capt. MARSHALL, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 18th Inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to

AH YON & Co. Hongkong, March 15, 1886.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMP FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

Jason,
Capt. Milliean, will be
despatched as above THURSDAY, the 18th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, March 11, 1886.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-- SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 19th Instant, at Day-light, instead of the Thibet as previously

A. McIVER,

P. & O. S. N. Ob.'s Office,

Hongkong, March 15, 1886. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

Breconshire, W. Pope, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 19th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 15, 1880. UNION LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

Prinz Friedrich Carl,
Captain Linds, will be
despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 20th Inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, March 9, 1886.

THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, TASMANIA AND-NEW ZEALAND.) The Steamship

Captain Roy, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at 4 p.m. The Steamer has excellent Accommodation for First-class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers.

Hongkong, March 10, 1886. THE BEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Steamship

Conpt. FARQUHAR, will be despatched as above on or about the 21st Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, March 12, 1886.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Vargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE

The Co.'s Steamship Patrocius. Capt. Thompson, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 23rd Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, March 16, 1886.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. TIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISHANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, &c. The Steamship

Captain Annua, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 27th Instant, at 4 p.m. This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon

the upper deck. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, March 10, 1886.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The \*As 1 British Barque

W. MALCOLM, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

Notices to Consignees.

UNION LINE NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG, PEN. ANG AND SINGAPORE

THE Steamship Prinz Albrecht, Captain BRANDE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to

the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Claims against the Steamer rougt be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 24th Instant, or they will not be recognised.

BUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 10, 1886.

DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICE of the above named Company, No. 14, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on the 18th day of March, 1888, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolution proposed and passed at the last Mesting of the Sharcholders held on the 3rd day of March, 1886.

Dated the 3rd day of March, 1886. By Order of the Board of Directors,

DAVID GILLIES, Secretary.

NOTICE. THE Annual General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG

Secretary. Hongkong, March 10, 1886.

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

BRANCH OFFICE-Queen's Road, Hongkong. and every description of Banking and NTOTICE is hereby given that the above Company was on the 22nd February, chief Commercial places in Europe, India, 1886. Registered as Limited under the Companies' Ordinances, Hongkong. SHAREHOLDERS in the Old Company are

TIFICATES.

By Order of the Directors, W. W. CLIFFORD, Secretary.

THE LEE YUEN SUGAR REFINING COMPANY.

IN LIQUIDATION. LL Persons being CREDITORS of the A above Company are requested to send Particulars of their CLAIMS addressed to

\$100 or more at their credit may at Hongkong, in Order that their Claims may their option transfer the same to the be settled. A. JOHNSTON. LAU WAI OHUEN, Liquidators. LI KING TING.

> PANY, LIMITED. DURING my temporary Absence, Mr. select from.
> R. H. BEAUCHAMP will Sign POLICIES and TRANSACT the BUSINESS of

this BRANCH. By Order of the Court of Directors. W. H. PERCIVAL,

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-

depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book NTOTICE is hereby given that Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 25th March, 1886, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, to receive the Report of the Directors, together with

Statement of Accounts to 31st December,

inclusive. By Order of the Directors, SAML J. GOWER.

Hongkong, March 11, 1886. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

No. B 163, dated 8th Ootober, 1884, 5 SHARES, numbered 50973/50977, in the name of J. REGINALD HARDING, of Amoy No. B 849, dated 18th January, 1886,

2.-At 100 %, Payment being made in HAVE BEEN LOST and should the Fully paid Scrip of the Corporation's same not be produced before the ler DAY Stock, carrying interest from date of will be Issued to the said J. REGINALD issue, and exchangeable for Stock HARDING and JOHN GITTING respectively, Warrants of \$100 with Half-Yearly and no Transaction taking place under the

Interest Coupons attached, on the aforesaid CERTIFICATES B 163 and B 849 Scrip being made up to any even will be Recognized by this Corporation. For the CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. 460 CER Tricate unless produced within that Hongkong, March 5, 1886.

HE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON

WHARF, GODOWN AND CARGO-

BOAT COMPANY. THE Company will receive STRAMERS and SAILING VESSELS alongside their Wharves at Kowloon, and Land, Rs ship, and/or Store GENERAL CARGOES, SILK, OPIUM, COTTON, GRAIN OF MERCHANDISE in customers and the Community with FRESH First-Class Granite Godowns at Cheap Rates. Also Coars in specially constructed Sheds.

> hour. For further Particulars, apply to W. KERFOOT HUGHES Agent. Pedder's birect. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

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Detablished

Business Notices.

SOLD ONLY BY

\$5.50 EACH. -LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 16, 1886. Hotel, Victoria Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horacs in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refernished in a mos comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious,

large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, RUADING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Scotch Tweed \$15.00 Over 100 pat-

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL). While advertising our 'Specialties we also wish to draw the attention of our Customers to our, now, complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COATterns of Stylish INGS, TROUSERINGS, SER-GES, FLANNELS, &c. A large Exceptionally and choice selection of the newest Good value to FABRICS of English, Scotch and Continental Manufacture,

Of West England Superfine Cloth made to our special fast in order, suitable to the climate.

Dress Suit.

\$30.00.

from medium to the very finest

qualities. Hongkong, October 1, 1885.

JUST RECEIVED TITHITE and Coloured BROCADED LACE MUSLINS, CHECK, STRIPE, BROCHE and BRILLIANTS in White and Colours.

A splendid variety of PRINTS, GALATEAS, ZEPHYRS, and WASHING DRESS MATERIALS. NUN'S VEILINGS in every Colour. LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S MACINTOSHES and UMBRELLAS.

KELLY & WALSH, LD., BOOKS OF GAMES AND SPORT.

DROCTOR'S 'How to play Whist.' Home Whist, by Five of Clubs. How to play Poker. Cavendish on Whist. 'The American Hoyle' (best book of

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 27, 1886.

games printed). 'Col. Drayson on Whist.' Walker's 'The Correct Card, or How to play Whist."

Whiat Developments,' by Cavendish. Pole's 'The Theory of Whist.' America Whist, by J. W. P.

Dufton on Billiarda Bennett on Billiards. Modern Billiards, by Collender.

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

NOTICE. THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. THE CERTIFICATE of 10 SHARES ing in the Register in the Name of WM. LEGGE, Esq., having been LOST, Notice is hereby given that a NEW CERTIFICATE for the said 10 SHARES will be Issued a

Intimations.

period, will the creatter be held by the Company as null and void. Dated the 5th March, A.D. 1886. By Order of the Directors, D. GILLIES,

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED.

fort light honce, and that the ORIGINAL

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held a the Company's HOTEL on WEDNESDAY the 24th Instant, at 3 o'Clock p.m., for the

Sist December, 1885. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from the 10th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG,

W. POWELL & Co.

Lawn Tennis, by Lieut. S. C. F. Peile.

Morseman's 'Instructions for Games with

Staunton's Chess Player's Companion.

Staunton's 'Chess Player's Hand-book.

. The Cream of Leicestershire, by Capt.

'The Coaching Age,' by Stantey Barris.
'Modern Wild Fowling,' by Wild Fowler.

Stonehenge's 'The Horse in the Stable

Stonehenge's British Rural Sports.

'Horses and Roads,' by Free Lance.

Gossip's 'Chess Player's Manual.'

lards and Dice.

Pennell-Elmhurst.

and the Field.

Intimations. THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY,

NTOTICE is hereby given that An refuse matters are removed daily from off

Hongkong, March 4, 1886. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

General Managers.

mittee and Auditors for the ensuing year. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 10, 1886.

LIMITED.

EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL the promises. MEETING of the HONGKONG ICE 7. When the conditions herein contain-Meeting of the Company held on the 4th every Year, as is specified in the Particul ra day of March, 1886, will be automitted for of such Lot hereinbefore contained; and Confirmation as a Special Resolution. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

THE Third Ordinary General MEET. to Her Majesty, who shall be at full liberty ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be either to enforce the Sale, or to re-sell the held at the Oreice of the Company, Praya Property at such time and place, and in Central, on SATURDAY, 20th March, at such manner as to Her Majesty shall seem Eleven o'Clock in the Forencon, for the fit, and in case of a re-sale the increase, if purpose of receiving the Report of the any, of the Premium or Purchase Money General Managers, with a Statement of shall be retained by Her Majesty, and the Accounts, and electing a Consulting Come deficiency, if any, and all Costs and Expen-

485 been taken by him, on the day of sale,

COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at |cd have been complied with, the Purchaser the REGISTERED OFFICE of the Company, of each Lot shall be entitled to, and shall Peddar's Street, Victoria, Hongkong, at execute, on demand, a Lease, from the Noon, on FRIDAY, the 19th day of March, Crown of the Piece of Ground comprised 1886, when the Resolution for subdividing in such Lot for 75 Years, to be computed the Shares of \$100 each of the said Com- from the day of Sale, at such Annual Renpany into Shares of \$25 each, and which tal, payable half-yearly on the 24th day of was passed at the Extraordinary General June, and the 25th day of December in

The Co.'s Steamship

will be Pipe Cents per Pound. DORABJEE NOWROJEE.

Intimations. THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA

O. D. BOTTOMLEY, E. H. M. HUNTING of March, 1886.

GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be held on THURSDAY, the 18th Instant, at 3,30 p.m., at the CITY HALL.

By Order, H. M. BAILY,

HEAD OFFICE-Shanghai.

requested to send in their Scar to the Head Office, No. 13, Nanking Road Shanghai, to be exchanged for New Can-

Shanghai, 6th March, 1886.

Ewens, Solicitor, 45, Queen's "Road,

534 Tweeds of Hongkong, March 16, 1886. NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COM-

Hongkong, March 15, 1886.

PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Fifteenth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria,

The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 2th to 25th March, both days

Secretary.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undermentioned SHARE CERTIissues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for FICATES, viz :-

> 30 SHARRS, numbered 39101/18. 4810/11, 11825/29 and 21667/71, in the name of JOHN GIFTINS, of Foo-

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

For the convenience of Commanders and Storers the Company's launch Hongkong will convey to and fro those interested FREE OF CHARGE, starting from the Pedder's Wharf Directors, and Statement of Accounts to EVERY HOUR from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m., and from the Wharf at Kowloon at the halfVICTORIA EXCHANGE, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

HAVE FOR SALE

## STORES.

York HAMS. Roll BUTTER. Topocan BUTTER. French BUTTER. EPP's COCOA.

> VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. Picnic TONGUES. MACKEREL in 5th Tins. RAISINS and CURRANTS. Crystallized FRUITS.

SAVORY & MOORE'S New Infant FOOD. BARNES & Co.'s JAMS. Potted MEATS. PATE DE FOIS GRAS.

Swiss MILK.

BOBDEN' CONDENSED MILK COOKING STOVES.

LAMPS. KEROSINE WINES, &c.

GILBEY'S Sparkling SAUMUR, Pts. & Qts. SACCONE'S MANZANILLA. SACCORE'S Old Invalid PORT. Old Bourbon WHISKY. BURKE's Old Irish WHISKY. Royal Glendes WHISKY MARSALA.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

OILMAN'S STORES,

Lowest Possible Prices FOR CASH.

Macewen, Frickel & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1886.

> To Let. TO LET.

THE HOUSE in CASTLE ROAD No. 1. 14. Caine Road. Terms moderate. Possession on the first of the month. Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

TERRACE.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, March 12, 1886.

FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE at the PEAR Apply to

DENNYS & MOSSOP. Hongkong, January 28, 1886.

DOOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS. BISNEE VILLA, PORFOULUM. Apply to

SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Glenroy having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may

notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 12th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, March 12, 1886.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE,

AND BAIGON.

FITHE Company's S.S. Borner having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her and by the S.S. Compta from Madras, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the Countersigned, 22nd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongrong, March 18, 1886.

Intimations.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. Chinese Imperial Government Silver Loan of 1884. Loan A.

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SECOND DRAWING.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that, in conformity with the stipulation contained in the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par, at the Office of the Honokone and Shanohat Bankine Componation, in Honghoug, on the 15th day of March, 1886, when the Interest thereon will cease to be payable, were this day Drawn at the Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong, in the presence of Mr. HERBERT MAURICE BEVIS, Acting Chief Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary.

NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN.

976 Bonds, Nos. :-308 2297

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Apply to the SPANISH PROCURATION, No.

TO BE LET. FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED. Desirable RESIDENCE in RICHMOND

Apply at TO LET.

Good TENNIS GROUND attached.

TO LET. Nos. 2, 4 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, March 3, 1886.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

A. P. STOKES, Notary Public, Honerose.

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For \$500 each Hongkong Currency \$188,000.

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H. M. BEVIS, Acting Chief Accountant.

HONGKONG, bik day of February, 1885.

Intimations.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT SILVER LOAN OF 1884, LOAN A.

THE INTEREST due 15th day of March current, of the above LOAN, together with the BONDS DRAWN for Redemption, will be Paid at the Office of this Corroration on and after that date.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION, Agents Issuing the Loan, T. JACKSON

Hongkong, March 11, 1886. THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY,

LIMITED.

CAPITAL, - - - 830,000. DIVIDED INTO 3,000 SHARES OF \$10 EACH. ON EACH SHARE \$5 TO BE FAID ON APPLICATION, AND 85 ON ABLOTMENT.

> Directors: The Hon. P. RYRIE. Dr. MANSON. Mr. C. P. CHATER. Mr. JAS, B. COUGHTRIE. Mr. W. H. RAY. Mr. GRANVILLE SHARP,

PROSPECTUS. PURE MILK of the BEST QUALITY at MODERATE PRICE. From a hygienic point of view a good Milk supply is of the greatest importance. and the totally inadequate supply in this Colony hitherto has become a matter of

serious consideration to its community. Dairy Farming has been carried on in Shanghai, Amoy, and Japan with great success, both as regards the satisfaction afforded to consumers and tho profits realized. The Company will offer to the Public besides Milk, other Dairy produce, such as

Fresh BUTTER, CREAM, &c. An Estate comprising 23 acres situated at Pokfoolum admirably suited to the purposes of a DAIRY FARM, with easy means of transport both by road and water has been secured for a term of years. It is proposed to import about 100 MILCH COWS at once and it is hoped that the Dairy will be in operation by the end of May. The Directors have in view a competent and experi-

A scheme has been formulated for separating the herdsof cattle, which will almost entirely do away with the chance of any. severe loss by disease. The only Contract which has been entered into is an Agreement of Leass of the

promises at Pokinolum above referred to, dated the 11th day of February, 1886, and made between Acosmine Guilherme Ro-MANO, JOSE MARIA EVARISTO MACHADO, and DEMETRIO ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS OF the one part, and the Hon. PRINEAS RYRIE, PATRICK MANSON, CATCHIOR PAUL CHATER, WILLIAM HENRY RAY, GRANVILLE SHARP, and JAMES BILLINGTON COUGHTRIE of the other part. A copy of this Agreement may be seen at the Office of Mesers. SHARP, JOHNSON and STOKES.

Application for SHARES will be received until the 22nd Instant, and must be made on a from which can be obtained from the HONOKONG AND SHAGHAL BANKING CORPO-RATION, OF Messrs. SHARP, JOHNSON and STOKES, and all such applications must be forwarded to the Hongkong and Shanghai BANKING CORPOR TION together with the amount of deposit.

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For the HONCKOKS & SHANGHAI BARKING CORPORATION,

1876

If no allotment is made the deposit will be returned without any deduction but without interest; and where the number of Shares allotted is less than the number applied for, the surplus will be credited in reduction of the amount payable on the allotment, and any excess returned. Hongkong, March 12, 1886.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1885.

NONTRIBUTORS to the above OFFICE are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a Last of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1885, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendored prior to the 31st DAY OF MARCH INSTANT will be adjusted by the Orrice, and no

Claims or Alterations will be subsequently JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, March 1, 1886. NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

HIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will 2710 receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES,

Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

To-day's Advertisements.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT.)

The Co.'s Steamship Kameralda. Capt G. TAYLER, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 19th Inst., at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, March 17, 1886.

OCEAN STEAMENT COMPANY, FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, OHEFOO, NEW. OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Capt WEBSTER, will be THURSDAY, the 25th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SVIRE

Apenta. Hongkong, March 17, 1886 To-day's Advertisements.

- NIEL O'BRIEN. Patron: HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTR ING THE GOVERNMENT THE HON. W. H. MARSH, C.M.G.

OITY HALL.

ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION

TASCOTTE' OPERA COMPAN TO MORROW EVENING the 18th March, 1886.

TOR THIS NIGHT ONLY! BOCCACCIO, BOCOACOIO, BOCCACCIO.

RICH AND COSTLY WARDROBE. - Signor M. A. VALENZA. By kind permission of Colonel Foster and Officers, the Band of the 58th Rogt. will play Appropriate Selections dur- 150 Chinese.

Doors open at 8.30. Overture at 9 precisely. THE Principal object of the Company is Box Plan now open at KELLY & WALKE'S Per Loire Inferieure, for Halphong, to provide a regular SUPPLY of (LIMITED). Hongkong, March 17, 1886.

ing the evening."

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAJ VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Captain SCALE, will be MORROW, the 18th Instant, at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hougkong, March 17, 1886.

THE Public are hereby notified that FIELD FIRING will take place MOUNT DAVIS, between 2 and 6.30 p.m. on FRIDAY, the 19th Instant.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION

FREDERICK STEWART Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hougkong, 17th March, 1886

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO

STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

EXCURSION TO MACAO. MOULD the weather be favourable the HONAM will make a TRIP MACAO and Back on SUNDAY, the 21st Instant, leaving Honoxono at 8.30 a.m., and Macao at 9.30 p.m.

First Oluss Fare to Macao and back 82. No Second Class, or single fares. Chinese Bervants, 50 Cents each way. Chits will Refreshments will be supplied on Board, but no Meals.

> By Order, T. ARNOLD.

Hongkong, March 17, 1886. Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-

CARONDELET, American ship, Capt. V . Stetson. - Messageries Maritimes. CLIBYEDEN, British steamer, Captain Frederick Johnson:-Siemssen & Co. ELLEN A. READ, British ship, Capt. N. B. Hatfield -Order.

Horsequands, Brit. steamer, Capt. Chas Thompson.—Adamson, Bell & Co. Hypai, German barque, Captain Binge, -Gonsalves & Co. Lanaraca, British barque, Captain G. F.

Graham. — Captain. MERON, American ship, Captain T. B. Glove. - Melchers & Co. Parthia, British steamer, Captain Mar-

shall.—Adamson, Bell & Co. Taiomow, British steamer, Captain J. Newton.-Yuen Fat Hong.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. March 17, 1886 :--Salter, French steamer, 323, Th. Lerède,

Haiphong Mar. 14, General .- A. R. MARTY. Kwang Lee, Chinesesteamer, from Wham- Bank, Wire, Esmeralda, British steamer, 395, T. Hamin Manila March 13, General. - RUSSELL

Lastles, British steamer, 1,394, Seale, Liverpool January 31, and Singapore March 11. General. BUTTERFIELD & SWIBE. Horseguards, British etr., 896, Thompson Manila March 13, General.—Adamson, Gold Leaf 994 fine ... \$30.25 BELL & Co.

Casa, Saigon March 12, Rice and Paddy.-MORRIS & RAY. Taichiow, British steamer, 862, J. Newton, Bangkok March 9, Rice & General -YUEN FAT HONG China, German steamer, 988, P. Haye

Carisbrooks, American steamer, 973, R

Saigon March 12, Rice, BUTTERFIELD & SWILE Alert, American alcop-of-war, 541, Capt. C. J. Barcley, Singepore March 7. Escort, American barque, 605, R. G.

Waterhouse, Newcastle (N.S. W.) January

17, Coal - ADAMSON, BELL & CO. CLEARED. Cruader, for Haiphoup. Isaac Reed, for Cebu. Hiram Emery, for Iloilo. Hornes, for Amoy. Prinz Albrecht, for Yokobama. Formose, for Cosst Ports Anton Gunther, for Rajang. Commons, for Singapore and Hamburg.

Billy Simpson, for Bangkok. Ingraban, for Swatow and Amoy. 530 Freir, for Haspitons.

DEPARTURES March 17:-

Cyclops, for Amoy and Shanghai.
Mongkut, for Swatow and Banghok. Loire Inferieure, for Haiphong. Doris, for Ohefoo and Newchwang. Charon Wattano, for Bangkok, Amoy, for Shanghai. Flying Fiel, British sloop, for Manila. Canton, for Swatow and Shanghai,

Phra Chon Klao, for Heihow & Singapore Japan, for Singapore and Calcutta. Don Juan, for Amoy and Manila.

PASSENGERS.

Per Salter, from Haiphong, Mossre Legrand and Jack, and 29 Chinese. Per Esmeralda, from Manila, Messrs F Bolton, H. Todd, J. Dampney and R. F. Inacelles, and 10 Chinese. Per Lacries, from Liverpool, Messrs Kentgen and Nelson, and 176 Chinese from

Per Carisbrooks, from Saigon, 8 Chinese. Per Taichiow, from Bangkok, 23 Chinese. Per China, from Saigon, 2 Chinese. Per Exert, from Newsastle (N.S. W. Mrs Waterhouse and 2 children.

DEPARTED. Per Perhawur, for London : from Hongsong, Mrs and (2) Misses Le Mesurier. Per Cyclops, for Shanghai: from Liverpool, Mrs Scholmus, and Dr. Lalcaca; for Amoy,

Per Don Juan, for Amoy, &c., 1 Europoan, and 86 Chineso deck. Per Mongkut, for Swatow, &c., 50 Chi-

Per Amoy, for Shanghai, 25 Chinese. Per Doris, for Chefco, &c., 15 Chinese.

Per Canton, for Fwatow, 25 Chinese. Per Phra Chom Klas, for Hoinew, &c., Per Japan, for Singapore, Mr Boulton, Europeans, and 866 Chinese. Per Moray, for Kobe, 1 Japanese deck.

TO DEPART. Per Crusader, for Haiphong, 38 Chinese Per Borneo, for Amoy, 60 Chinese. Per Formosa: for Coast Ports, 6 Europeans, and 200 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Esmeralda reports From Manila to 10' South Nipepins, light 549 N.E. breeze and fine weather On 16th at 6:40 s.m., dense fog to off Ninepins. On 17th at 0.15 a.m., fog clearing at Pines,

steamed into Hongkong. The British steamer Lacres reports Had light N.E. monsoon. The British steamer Horsequards reports: Had fine weather, fog near the Lammock

The American steamer Carisbrooks reports: Experienced moderate S. Easterly breezes fine weather from port until making the land; from thence dense fog.

The British steamer Taichiow reports Left Bangkok at 3 p.m. on the 7th. Koh Si-Chang at 4 p.m. on the 9th. Experi-enced moderate variable winds and fine weather until within 40 miles of the Islands, when dense for was met. Anchored at a.m. on the 16th for fog. Arrived in port signed. at noon 17th March, Spoke British barque Walls Castle, anchored off Ling ting. The German steamer China reports: Had

fine weather all the time right the last 15 hours when it was foggy. The American sloop-of-war Alert reports: Fair weather and Northerly winds; first part then South and Easterly breezes.

CARGO.

Per S. S. Anchises, sailed 12th March -To Landon, 2 buxes Silks and 23 pkgs. Sundries. To South America, 744 pkgs Tea. From Yokohama, 107 half-chests Tea. From Manila, 60 cases Olgara and 17 pags.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For HOIHOW, PAKHOI, AND HAL-PHONG.-

the 18th inst

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS .-Per Parthia, at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 18th inst.

Per Partridge at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday,

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. 18th inst, instead of as previously notified.

For MANILA -Per Esmeralda, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, the 10th inst.

Quotations

Hongkong, March 17. OPIUM-New Patna, cash,..... 552 New Benares, cash ... 547 cash,... 515 nom. New Malwa, cash,.... 520 Allowance, Taels ..... 40 @ 48 Old Malws, cash; .... 540/550 Allowance, Taels ..... 16 @ 32 Persian, Oily, cash ... 460 Allowance, Taels ..... 16 @ 32 Persian, Unoily, ..... 505/510 Allowance, Taels ..... 16 @ 32

Exchange. HONGKONG, March 17. Demand. 30 dave night. 4 months aight, ... Credits. Documentary 4 months sight, India, Wire. ... demand. Shanghai, demand .... 30 days' sight, private Sovereigna.

Temperature. (Taken at Meisrs Falconer & Co. s Premises, Queen's Road.) BAROMETER 9 A.M. 30.115

1 P.M. ... 30.080 30,040 4 P.M.... HERIOMSTER-9 A.M.... 1 P.M. 47E ... 71 (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 67 Do. 1 r.u. 70 4.P.M. 69 Maximum Do. Minimum over night 68

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER AT 4 P.M. 20-DAT. . 80.05 Barometer Temperature Direction of Wind . n COTOS

Weather

Hongkong Observatory, March 17, 1888.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping

Daylight, -- Formosa leaves for Coast Daylight. Borneo leaves for Amoy. 10 a.m. - Lacries leaves for B'hai, &c. 4 p.m .- Partridge leaves for Holhow, &c. 5 p.m .- Parthia leaves for Straits. Jason leaves for London.

Auctions. 2 p.m .- Auction of Household Furniture, de, at No. 6, Seymour Terrace. Meetings.

2.30 p.m.—Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the H.K. and W pos Dock Co., Ltd. 3.30 p.m. - Meeting of Members of the Hongkong General Chamber of Com-

Amnsements. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

merce at the City Hall.

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PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS,

DOULTON WARE, FANCY GOODS,

during the Continuance of this Advertisement

S. WATSON & Co., Ltd., THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

at 7.55 p.m.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1886.

tVia Southern-Line.

LONDON, 16th March. Mr Gladstone having submitted to the Cabinet the Irish proposals, Mr Chamberlain expressed his disapproval of them and both he and Mr Trevelysu have since re-

LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED SUEZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Compton, Wladivostock, Jan. 8; Marcia, Jan. 12; Rhodora, Jan: 15; Norden, Jan. 26; Abftara, Jan. 29; Yorkshire, February 16; Berenice. Devenahive, Galley of Lorns. Gleneagles, Nestor, Pembrokeshire, Ghaze, March 2; De Bay, March 5; Achilles, Iraon ddy, Massalin, March 9; Amphitrite, March 12.

The next FRENCH MAIL, per the M. M. Co.'s steamer Melbourne, left Singapore for Saigon and this port on Saturday, the 13th just, at 5 p.m., and may be

DHEWARD BOUND :- Sikh. March 2 : Sar

21st inst. The O. & O. Co stateamer Belgic, with the next American Mail on board, left Yokohama on Tuesday, the 14th inst. at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 22nd inst.

expected here on about the 19th inst. Cas D. D. R. steamer Polyhymnia left Sin gapore for this port on the 14th inst. (afternoon), and may be expected here on or about the 21st inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Fairoclus, from

here on or about the 21st inst. China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co. a -steamer Ningchow, from London, left

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Frometheus left Singapore on the 17th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 23rd La E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Airlie left

April THE Honam is advertised to make a trip to Macao and back on Sunday next.

PRINCE TALLEYRAND returned to Singapore

M. M. Co.'s mail steamer Meinan. THE Russian cruiser Vestnik (eavs the Straits Times) is expected at Singapore

Admiral Kornitoff.

Messes Butterfield & Swire inform us that the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Promethens, from London, left Singapore to-day, and is due here on the 23rd inst.

E. & A. E. S. Co. a steamer Airie left Sydney for this port on the 15th matant, and may be expected to arrive on or about the 6th prox. \*\*

Masses Arnbold, Karberg & Co. inform the that the China Shippers Motos S. B. Co.'s steamer Ningehow, from London, left Sine gapore for this port on the 15th inst, and may be expected here on or about the 21st

Accomping to the Straits Tenes of the State March, the departure of His Accellency Admiral Hamilton for the North had been postpropod till the Lake hatan, on somuna of the recurs of His Manuellanes the tion THE HOLD TON THE POUR IN SING VALUE STATES

WILL BE READY TO-MORROW.

ENGLISH COT GLASS BOTTLES.

Left over from CHRISTMAS, will be Sold at REDUCED PRICES,

Hongkong, February 19, 1880. per The publication of this issue commenced

The China Kluil.

TELEGRAMS.

PARLIAMENTARY INTELLIGENCE.

pedon, March b; Benglos, Glavicus, expected here on or about Sunday, the

he Ben Line steamer Benkedi left Singapore on the 12th instant, and may be

Liverpool, left Singapore for this port on the 14th inst., and may be expected

Singapore for this port on the 15th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 21st inst.

Sydney on the 15th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 6th

on the 7th March from Saigon by the shortly from Cronstadt to join the flag of

Massas Russell & Co. inform us that the

Mr James, lately Officiating Postmaster Association was held this afternoon in the General of India, shortly takes leave, Hongkong Hotel. There were present which he intends to spend in travelling in Liout. Col. Anderson, Mr J. D. Humphreys, perhaps meet Mr Carey, who has pene Dempeter, Mr E. L. Woodin, Mr G. T. trated Western China from the Kasligar Hopkins, Major Tripp, Mr H. Holmes, and direction,

Bih instant in honour of Prince Napoleon. The dinner was attended by a number of leading residents. The Prince was to leave Bingapore on the 9th instant in the O. 8.S. Co.'s steamer Hecuba for Bangkok, returning to Singapore or proceeding thence to Ssigon in a Siamese man-of-war.

THE appointment of Bir Charles Warren. R.E., recently special commissioner to Shortly after midnight notice was received Acting Attorney General; Hon. A. Lister, Bechuansland, to the post of Commissioner at the No. 2 Police Station (which is in Colonial Treasurer; Hon. J. M. Price, of the Metropolitan Police Force, in place charge of Inspector Mackie) that fire had of Col. Sir Edinund Henderson, is pre- broken out in a shop in Wong Fung Lane. sumably one of the results of the Inquiry Intimation of the occurrence was at once which followed the London riots. Colonel | telegraphed to the Central Station and the Henderson has most probably been pen- fire bell was set a ringing. The bell, howsioned off, as he has held the office for a ever; gave a very uncertain sound, and many long period of years. This appointment of the firemen had some difficulty in learnprovides for one of the officials who might ing whether the fire was West or East. On have been in the field for the Governor- the notice being received a hand engine ship of Hongkong. He is a K. C. M. G. and had just returned from the special service in South Africa.

Tus following is the programme for the next People's Concert, to be given in the Temperance Hall on Friday evening, commenoing at 8.30

Pianoforte Duet -Poet and Peasant ... Misses HENNE-Motto Bong—Don't let it happen again, Mr J. MORDEN.
Comic Bong—Have you seen her I...... Mr G. SWALES.
Pathotic Ballad—The fisherman and Mr J. H. Anden-Mr T. BARON. Mr W. HAMPTON mic Song Competition of Five MissEctiff Kra-Comic Song Competition. MENT-EDWARDS Pienoforte-Operatie Belections....

Hamorous Reading-The Aggravat-Mr Jao: DADR. Mr W. Scorr. Song-Peggy o' Yarmouth town ..... Comio Song-A la Francaiso...

Negro Song-Mary's gone wid a Coon Song and Chorus The Vicar of Bray Mr E. WOOKEY.

YESTERDAY afternoon, as the English mail steamer Peshawur was leaving the harbour, a Chinaman jumped overboard. The occurrence was observed on board the vessel and a life-buoy was flung to the man. The Chinaman, however, appeared to be a good swimmer and not to wish the assistance of the life-buoy. He made for some coal barges that were in the vicinity and was picked up along with the life buoy by one the burning pile from the other houses and of these barges. He was landed at Taim Tra Teni and handed over to Inspector Cradock, to whom he stated that he had gone on board the Peshawur in search of his brother who, he thought, had been kidnapped. He was not aware for some time | the rattan-shop was an engineer's yard with | must be very carofully guarded against in that the vessel had left, and not desiring an enforced voyage, took the means he did of establishment. But on the arrival of the belief that the representations which making his escape.

fore Mr Mackean at the Police Court today. Four ocolies were fined 10 cents each for rnohing with their rickshas at passengers landing at Peddar's Wharf-a nuisance which it appears, may take many more tinguish the flames, fled. The damage done serious fines to put down. An American is not very extensive and probably some and a Norwegian seaman who had been eleeping over night in a shed in Bonham A raw hours before the outbreak of the Street were made out to be gues and va- fire the attention of Inspector Mackie and gabonds and were sentenced to fourteen the police at No. 2 station was occupied days' hard labour. What perhaps is a still by a daring attempt at burglary which at greater nuisance than the rushing of coolies one time was likely to have led to even with their rickshas—the deafening noise of the whistles of the steam launches-was vesterday evening four desperate-lookalso brought under notice of the Court ing characters entered the house of a The steersman of the Wi Si steam launch | widow named Ip A Fong, residing in Ting and the Yang Si launch were each brought up charged with creating a public nuisance of value. These proceedings attracted and annoying the neighbourhood by blowing their whistles some ten or twelve times The case was remanded till to-morrow.

THE secession of Mr Chamberlain and Mr Trevelyan from the Cabinet, on the ground of their disapproval of Mr Gladstone's pro- lodgment in the mouth of a young l proposals of the Government are the joint propose to give the majority in Ireland too much. We quote the portion of Mr ham electors bearing upon the Irish question, and leave our readers to judge whether the supremacy of the Crown and the integrity of the Empire have been fully provided for in the Premier's pro- value of \$92, and also with shooting and posals. Mr Chamberlain wrote as fol. wounding a lad.

The result of the general election in for some time appear in Court with safety. Ireland has made it imperative that attention should immediately be called to Tuz following items are translated from the state of that country, and to the remedies for what is unsatisfactory in its condition. I am ready to give unprejudiced consideration to the claims and still at Van-ban-chau. An under resident wishes of the majority of the Irish people will be established at Than-quan. Custom as formulated by its elected representatives. | agents will probably be placed on the upper | make some reduction in their charge to I am prepared to support any just and reasonable proposal for a final settlement investigations have been made on that sub- fallen sufficiently to induce the Bank to in accordance with the special necessities lect. of the case of the land and education questions. In connection with these subjects, I am convinced that it will be necessary to concede to the Irish people much more extended control of their own dumestic business, but I appeal to my recent speeches, both before and after the election as evidence of my-firm intention to consent to no plan which will not sufficient. ly guarantee the continued supremacy of has discovered that the oily ground extends the Crown in that country and the inte- from the bay of Hongay to Bec-ninh and grity of the empire.

A FEW name has been found for Mr Gladstone since his subtersion of the Conserva. Lat regiment of Algerian israilleur left Hatires, or, if not new, it is happily revived - not the day before yesterday for Quinbon; Banean Egotistes.

Working from eastward, he may Mr Alfred Woolley, Col Foster, Major Mr Ed. Osborne, honorary secretary and treasurer. A set of rules and byes laws. An official dinner was given by the Italian were drawn up and adopted. The Hon. T. Consul of Singapore on the night of the Jackson was appointed president for the en-

suing year, and the Provisional Committee, with the addition of Mr Danby, was appointed a Permanent Committee for the ensuing year. It was agreed that Mr Jackson be requested to wait upon His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, and nak him to become a patron of the Asso-

was despatched from No. 2 Station, and Inspector Mackie, with a body of police, repaired to the scone of the fire. Before had made their way to the burning building house an old Chinaman and his wife, who lived above the shop and who in their a great risk of losing their lives. The flames had by this time got possession of the shop on the ground floor, and it was by leading the old man and his wife through an adjoining house that they were brought to a place of safety. When the engine arrived from the Police

Station the flames had apparently got the quantity of refuse were removed in this mustery of the entire house, and the efforts of the police were directed mainly towards saving the block of buildings of which it formed a part. In this work they were favoured by the weather, for it there had been a current of wind of any strength blowing up the lane, it would have been all but impossible to save the pile of buildings. As it was ere the arrival of the sugines from the Central Station, under the charge of Mr Brewer, Acting Superintendent of the Fire Brigade. and Mr Groy, Acting Chief Inspector of Police, and the engine of the Volunteers under the charge of Mr Coxon, the progress of the flames had been checked and there was not much fear, even if the first building were burned out, of the others taking lony. fire. Fortunately a brick wall separated this wall proved an insurmountable barrier | Majesty's Charge d'Affaires that the Goverwere being shot up from the blazing building as the rafters fell to the ground, and Government, and that instructions would some anxiety prevailed as to the safety of be sent to the High Local Officials that a pile of wood in front of it, and side by future. side with the burning house was a 'ricksha Her Majesty's Charged' Affaires expresses engines from the Central and the Volunteer | he has made will effectually put a stop to engines a large volume of water was poured A NUMBER of small cases were brought be- on the flames which in a short time drowned them out. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the upactting of a kerosine lamp in the shop, the burning oil having set fire to some inflammable material there. The workers in the shop, after the usual Chanese fashion, instead of endeavouring to ex-\$300 would cover the amount of the loss.

more serious consequences than the subsequent configration. About eight o'clock Sing Street, and commenced to pillage the house and carry off all that it contained the notice of two lukongs who at once gave the alarm and went to the assistance of the inmates of the house. Two of the per minute without any apparent cause, burglars soon took to their heels and made good their escape, but the other two showed ight. One of them drew a revolver and fired two shots at the lukong who was nearest. Both shots missed him, but anfortunately the second bullet f und a named Ip A Kai, who had to be conveyed posals concerning Ireland, is not re-assur- to the hospital, where it has since been ing. It is generally believed that the found that his lower jaw had received a compound fracture. The bold burglar, despite his armour, was made production of Mr Gladstone and Mr John by the lukong and the police. His com-Morley; and it is to be feared that they panion, seeing that he was likely to share the same fate, tried to effect sacape, but was soon overtaken by second lukong. On being seized, he Chamberlain's last address to the Birming drew a knife and endeavoured to strike down his captor. He was, however, soon overpowered, and the two men were safely lodged in sail.

The prisoners were bought before the Magistrate this morning charged with entering a house and stealing clothing to the The case was remanded, as the injured

lad is in such a condition that he cannot

L'Aveiar du Tonkin of the 5th March :--

The column that is to occupy. Lac-kat is Red River and in the upper river Claire;

The negotiations of the delimitation of it would clearly be more advantageous to the frontier on the side of Long-son are far obtain temporary advances in London from proceeding in a satisfactory manner, rather than in Hongkong. The demands of the Chinese commissioners are the cause of the present stoppage. We understand that the state of siege will be raised in the province of Hanol.

Akhai is occupied by our troops. M. Sarran, Colonial engineer of prince, ought to run probably towards Mount Bara A company of the 2nd battalion of the

another company less this morning,

Wa read in an Indian contemporary that THE first meeting of the Hongkong Rifle THE following items are supplied to the Indian papers by the Press Commissioner:-The Russians are said to have under construction a telegraph line from Samarcand

> Coal is reported to have been discovered by the Afghans near Saighan, north of

> The Afghan Boundary Commission are still at Charshamba. The severe winter weather that prevails has impeded the progreat of survey operations.

## MEETING OF THE LEGISLA TIVE COUNCIL.

.The members of the Legislative Council met this afternoon (17th). There were present :- His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (W. H. Marsh), President; His Honour Sir George Phillippo, Chief Justice; Hon. F. Stewart, Act. Colonial Secretary ; Hon. E. Ackroyd, Surveyor General; Hon. P. Ryrie; Hon. W. Keswick: Hon. T. Jackson; Hon.

The minutes of the last meeting were read

and confirmed.

THE SANITATION OF DWELLINGS. The Acting Colonial Secretary laid on tering the Government the following minute relating to a vote for sanitation-

ment recommends the Council to vote the h per cent. ; so that the total charge for sum of \$450 to enable the Sanitary Board their arrival firemen Bond and MacDonald to carry out the special cleansing of tene- hardly amount to 1 per cent., a rate which ments within the City. The Board with the cannot be compared with the ordinary charapproval of the Government has decided ges made by bankers on this account. and had succeeded in dragging out of the that the Chinese community should be invited to give their dwellings a thorough ciating Mr Marsh's desire to postpone the special cleansing three times a year, such cleansing to take place as near to the anxiety to save their goods and chatte's ran | lat February, lat June and lat October as | to the Colony .their festivals will permit, the Government rendering assistance in the way of supplying additional water and providing additional facilities for the removal of refuse. The Board estimate that cach of these cleansings will cost \$150, and the sum now recommended is to enable the Board to defray the expenses under this heading during 1886. During the last special cleaning 180 tons above the average daily

The minute was referred to the Finance

THE CHINESE EXTRADITION CARE. The Acting Colonial Secretary said he had also to lay on the table a minute referring to the recent invasion of the territoria rights of the Colony :-

The Officer Administering the Government informs the Council that he has received a communication from Her Majesty's Charge d'Affaires at Peking, stating that he had made strong representations to the Ministers of the Tsungli Yamen on the unwarrantable action of the Chinese Officials in acizing a Chinese subject accused of piracy who had taken refuge in this Co-

'The Ministers have expressed their regret for what had occurred, and assured Her to the flames Clouds of sparks, however, nor-General of Funkien would be directed to make suitable excuses to the Hongkong the adjoining property, some of which was Hongkong was British Territory, and that of a rather inflammable nature. Opposite any invasion, of its rights or territory

"The British Consul at Foochow was some time ago informed by the Governor-General of Fuhkien that the Naval Officer in charge of the Ngai San had for his irregular conduct at Hongkong been deprived of his command and had had his button taken

The status of Chinese Cruisers and their interference with the Junk trade of Hong. kong will, it is hoped, be finally settled by the Commission to be appointed before long for the consideration of this question under the 7th article of the 3rd Section of the Chefoo Convention.

Government House Hongkong 10th March, 1886,

DESPATORES. The Acting Colonial Secretary said he had to lay on the table certain papers. The first was a despatch connected with the proposed loan, the second a despatch respecting the new heavy guns for defence purposes, and the third some correspondence in reference to quarantine.

THE PROPOSED LOAN. The following is the despatch with refer once to the proposed loan :-Colonel The Right Honourable Fred Stanley,

M. P., to Governor Sir G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G.

DOWNING STREET. 30th June, 1885. Sir.—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch No. 187, of the 24th of April, enclosing, and favourably recommending, a memorandum by Mr. Marsh, in which it is suggested that the raising of the proposed Loan should be ly be by an an increase of Stamp Daty. postponed, and temporary advances pro-

should not be borrowed, until it is abso- with the Secretary of State on the subject. lutely necessary, but I find myself unable Hou. W. Keswick-Your Excellency, to accept Mr. Marsh's proposals for the an the subject treated upon in this vote

cured from the Hongkong and Shanghai

the Crown Agents in the case of some of the Colonies on more than propose that it should be so adjourned. at 2 per cent, provided only that an will be final. Ordinance has been passed, authori-

sing the issue of Debentures. I have not lost night of the fact that Mr. Marsh wrote during a period of financial panic, when rates were exceptionally high, and I have not failed to observe that the motion was carried. Directors of the Bank were prepared to meet falling rates, but, unless rates have take 2 instead of 6 per cent. for its advances,

(b.) The grounds on which Mr Marsh advocates a system of temporary advances are that the time is unfacept, mor lait to be expected that prospect of provision, for the isole, bill was read a second firms.

than can now be obtained.

below par if arrangements were made for a Loan at an unfavourable moment, nor the loss on exchange on the remittances to pay the interest. payable and the other attendant ex-

have, however, to observe that a sale much below par has never been contemplated to provide against an unfavourable market. The Draft Ordinance authorises a rate of interest not exceeding h per cent and, as in all other cases, the Crown Agents. would use their discretion as to the moment of issuing the Loan.

Attention is rightly drawn to the loss on exchange on remittances to pay interest, but on the other hand the advantage of the reverse operation has been lost eight of ; in the event of money being borrowed in this country, the Colonial Treasurer would draw on the Crown Agent. and in that case the low rate of exchange would increase the number of Dollars at his disposal; nor should it be forgotten that the remittances for payment of interest would be insignificant in amount, as compared with the drafts against

With regard to commission and other attendant expenses, the rate of commission is Colony, with a view to the continuance of laid down in the Secretary of tate's Circular Despatch of the 30th of December, ting. the table by order of the Officer Adminia- 1863 at & per cent.; and in Loans hitherto issued by the Crown Agents the attendant expenses, viz :- printing, advertising stamps; commission and attendant expenses would: 3. For these reasons, while fully appro-

nucessity of having recourse to a Loan, I consider that it will be most advantageous

(1) that a Loan Ordinance should be passed at once, debentures not being issned under it, until it becomes necessary to provide for carrying on these works, the proscention of which cannot be delayed; and

(2) that if it is thought advisable to procure temporary advances, they Agents in the ordinary way. hypothecation of debentures in anticipation of the Loan authorized by the Ordinance. I have, &c.,

FRED. STANLEY. Governor Siz G. F. Bowen, G.C.M.G. de., de., &o.

THE DEFENCE OF THE COLDNY. The following is the despatch with reference to the new heavy guns for defence

The War Office to the Colonial Office. WAR OFFICE, 20th January, 1886.

Sir,-I am directed by the Secretary of State for War to acknowledge the receip of your letter of 5th instant, forwarding copy of a despatch from the Governor of Hongkong regarding the progress of the new Defence Works of that Colony, and making inquiry as to the probable date of delivery of the new heavy guns.

In reply I am to acquaint you, for the information of Colonel Stanley, that Mr Secretary Smith hopes that the greater part of the armament will be consigned to Hongkong during the current year. The mountings of the Breech-loading Guis are of new pattern, and require to be specially tested, and this, of course, to some extent retards supply.

GUY C. DAWNAY. The Under-Secretary of State:

I am, &c.,

Colonial Office, S. W. The correspondence between the Government and the Chamber of Commerce with reference to quarantino appeared in our issue of Friday last.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE AND VOTE FOR

The Acting Colonial Secretary-I have now, Sir, to bring up the report of the Finance Committee upon the additional vote of £60,375 for defensive purp ses. The Committee unanimously recommend the payment of the additional sum of

£60,375, now asked for; but they do so on the distinct understanding that this vote shall be final for the military and defensive purposes of the Colony. 'To pay this sum and complete the es-

sential public works in progress, the Colony must borrow: and the result will be that interest and the provision of a sinking fund will so cripple the resources of the Colony that argently-needed sanitary works must, for the present, be left in abeyance, The Colony being merely a depot, without natural products, is unable to increase its revenue to any appreciable extent, and it will be impossible for any further contribution to be made for military pur-

The Committee next proceeded to the consideration of the means to be devised for meeting the interest and the sinking fund in connection with the Loan which

The Committee unanimously consider that the best means of doing so, would chief The Committee afterwards considered the Loan Bill, but a report on that will be brought up later, as the Officer Administeram quite of opinion that money ing the Government is in communication is one of vast importance to the Co-(a.) The system of temporary advances long. I think that the usual proceeding from the Bank, which Mr. Marsh of passing the vote at the present time recommends, has been adopted by should be suspended, and its consideration should be adjourned for a week. I beg to

Hon. P. Ryrie, who evidently misunder- great relief to the widows and children of kong and Shanghai Bank, would stood the Hon. Mr Keswick's remarks, intestates. The object of the bill was to said-I am much afraid the Government enable these to apply to the Registrar to Agents can at the present obtain it cannot give a guarantee that these expenses fell up the necessary papers to enable them

> Finance Committee should be adjourned right to enter into the Registry and ask for until this day week. Hon, Mr Kyrie then seconded, and the of the Registry, only a small fee, stated THE RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES AND PESTIVALS

table the result of the consideration of the Religious Ceremonies and Festivals Ordinance by the Select Committee in the form of a revised ordinance.

QUARANTINE AND THE LAZABETTO.

12 months hence it will be possible tion of illness; and we are now rapidly to borrow on more reasonable terms approaching the season of the year in which The Acting Attorney General having of the character, acted capitally throughwe are frequently visited by illness. I beg saked that the remaining Order of the Day, out, but he was altogether unable to do sale of its Debentures considerably any outbrenk of infectious or contagious Chattels, be allowed to stend over hand;

nor the commission that would be lazeratto on Stonecutters' Island are con- day week at four o'clock. tracted to be completed on the lat July next, subject to a penalty of \$10 a day to be forfeited by the contractor for every day. I have no doubt myself that the man will comply with the terms of his contract. With regard to the latter portion of my hon. friend's question, I should mention that pending shareholders in the Hongkong and Shangthe completion of the permanent lazaretto buildings, that suitable accommodation is being provided for the reception of the sick should occasion require it in temporary for the purpose of confirming a resolution matsheds.

THE ECCLESIASTICAL GRANT. Hon. T. Jackson -I hog to give notice that this day week I shall move the follow ingresolutions with regard to the recent decision of the Secretary of State to withdraw also introduce the Cathedral Ordinance Bill I now beg to read the resolutions :-

1. That the Secretary of State for the Colonics be invited to reconsider the doci nion which has been arrived at as to the withdrawal of occlesiastical grants in this such grants, as in Singapore and in Mauri-

2. That the only expenditure which could be retrenched under the instructions The Officer Administering the Govern- etc. have not hitherto amounted to another £8'0 but really of £640, paid to the Colonial Chaplain, and representing little more than remuneration for the necessary services of burying the dead, attendance at the Gaol, at Hospitals, &c. 3. That if this Balary be withdrawn, the

Colony will have to pay nearly if not quite as much in allowances for these services, thus substituting a precarious and unsatisfactory arrangement for one which works to the satisfaction of all concerned.

4. That the instructions to disestablish the Church on the first opportunity were not called for by any public demand, and that no public feeling exists in the Colony on the subject except such as is adverse to the

5. That the policy of Disestablishment, still far from being generally accepted at home, has been, as far as the information of this Council goes, distasteful to every Colony on which it has been imposed : that it has been reversed in two Colonies, and in at least one more continues to be an offence and a public grievance to the Com-

6. That a doubtful policy of this kind should not be, in ignorance of many of the essential circumstances of the case, needlessly forced upon an unwilling community which, administering its own revenue, is more interested in guarding against the misappropriation of that revenue than any external authority can ba

THE RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES ORDINANCE The Chief Justice said this bill had been referred to a Special Committee, who had now remitted their report in the form of an Ordinance. He thought it was premature. to put it before the Council in this form. and he thought they should now refer it to a Committee of their own house. The Acting Attorney General moved that the Council go into Committee on the re-

rised bill at next meeting. The Acting Colonial Secretary seconded. and the motion was carried. Hon. Mr Keswick proposed that a section,

THE VAGBANTS ORDINANCE. The Acting Attorney General moved the second reading of a bill entitled an Ordinance to amend the Law relating to Vagrants. He explained that the object of this ordinance was to make the law of this Colony on this anbiect the same as that in force in England. The old act, passed in 5th year of the reign of George the Fourth, chapter 83, which had been in force here, deal with gambling up to a certain extent, and it was now proposed to reproduce the provisions of 36 and 37 Victoria, chapter 33, section 3, which added the following words to the old section about saming in the street-namely, that any person using sny coin, card, token, or other article used as an instrument or means of such wagering or gaming, shall be deemed a rogue and vagabond. He had heard from the Police Magistrate that this provision was much wanted in this Colony. His Excellency-This will make the law

apply to those lotteries by Ohinese in the The Acting Attorney General-You. The Chief Justice-It will apply to lot-

The Acting Colonial Secretary having seconded, the bill was read a second time

THE LAW AS TO SALES OF LAND BY

The Acting Attorney General moved that an Ordinance to amend the Law as to Sales Land by Public Auction be read second time. He said this ordinance was also brought in to assimilate our law with the law which governs in England. read several of the sections, and explamed that the object of the ordinance generally was to prevent frauda. The motion was seconded by the Acting Colonial Secretary, and the bill was read

THE WIDOWS AND CHILDREN'S RELIEF

The Acting Attorney General moved the second reading of a bill entitled. An Ordinance for the Relief of Widows and Children of Intestates where the personal estate is of amail value. He said this matter was conmidered by the Law Revision Committee. and he believed that the bill would give to obtain letters of administration, instead of had proposed that the Report of the outside the Registry. They would have the the papers there to be filled up by an officer in the Bill being charged No doubt a scale of fees will be posted up in the Rerendered. He believed it would be a

question of my hop. friend opposite I beg mittee on the bills read a second time to-

EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAT BANKING CORPORATION.

hai Banking Corporation was held in St. passed at an extraordinary meeting held in Hon. W. Keswick, Messrs A. P. McEwen, exceedingly clever. She was repeatedly H. Hoppius, E. H. M. Hungtington, M. applauded, and though the part is one Grote and H. L. Dalrymple, Court of which is not calculated to raise the cuthu-Directors : Hon. T. Jackson (Chief Man- siasm of an nudience, her acting was greatly ger), and Messrs E. Goorgo, A. Coxon, admired. Miss Seymour made an ex-H. P. Tennant, A. McConachie. P. Jor- singing with vivacity and correctness dan, H. E. Just, W. K. Hughes, F. throughout. Her acting was specially Houderson, H. M. Bovis, D. McCulloch, worthy of praise; and we are inclined to S. Hancock, J. R. Anton, E. Boart, A. A. place this as the first among Miss Seymour's Chinoy, Jr., E. Georg, E. Morriss, W. impersonations, not even excepting her Loggo, V. A. C. Hawking, L. Poesnocker, artistic Germaine in Lee cloches de Corno-Hughes, A. G. Stokes, H. Fois, G. de ville." Champeaux, V. C. da Rocha, J. A. Nanki Too, she would probably have Mosely, W. H. Young, R. Schonberger, schieved even more success. Mr. Farley H. Kuhlmann, and S. Z. Shellin.

The Chairman As you are aware this Everything Else), which he played with meeting is merely called for the purpose of onfirming the resolution passed at the xtraordinary meeting held on the 27th February, which I will now read :-

That the Court of Directors be authorized to apply for and accept a Renewed or Supplemental Ordinance to renew supplement the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Ordinance of 1866, and for the extension of the time for which the said Ordinance was passed, for a further term of 21 years or for such other period as may bo b such renewed ordinance provided.

I now bog to propose that this resolution performance. be confirmed.

Mr S. Hughes seconded. The motion was then put to the meeting and carried unanimously. The Chairman -That ends the business

Canton.

(From our Correspondent): March 16.

A private letter received from America states that there has been another anti-Chinese demonstration in the United States. The troops were called out, and as the rioters would not disperse the order was given to are on the mob. Several the rioters were killed and many wounded It is to be hoped that this fact will be brought as plainly before the Chinese officials and people as was the fact of the last rict. It will be interesting to watch whether the native papers give prominence to this information or not. We recollect that at the time of the Shameen riot the Chinese troops did not fire into the mob. The news of the last riot was posted on the walls ault with the Committee, be added to the and telegraph posts in Canton by the Tung hill. He would move that it be added in Wah Hospital. We wonder if this news which reflects some credit on the Government of the United States, will be as widely made known. We trow not. Anything of any other nationality is spread for and wide, but anything creditable is quietly

I understand the Vicerov ordered all the papers posted up by the Tung Wah Hospital to be torn down. The cuestion may be legitimately asked, whether the Tung Wah Hospital did not exceed its duty in posting the placards in Canton. It is high time the relations of the Committee of the Tung Wah Hospital to the Hongkong Government and to the local authorities in Canton were more clearly defined. It has been frequently intimated that the said Committee occupies a semiofficial relation between the authorities in Canton and the Chinese in Hongkong. small amount of blame attaches to the Hongkong Government in that an institution under the nom-de-plume of a hospital is allowed to exercise official prerogatives. What business has a hospital in Hongkong to the employment of retired officers in to post telegrams in Canton that the Viceroy should deem it advisable to tear down ! Is the hospital an association for the protection of Chinese in the United States or elsewhere? to a question in the House of Commons, he said to exceed them? As a corporate body, does it act as a Chinese Consul in occupy Dongola. Hongkong; and if so, is it accredited by the Imperial Government or from the au-

horities here The curious alteration in the Viceroy telegram reminds one of the remark made y the Viceroy of Hupeh that he should oppose the introduction of the telegraph because the devilieb thing told lies. The Hongkong authorities may take lesson from the local officials here. second of the present Chinese month the birthday of the God of the Earth. It is usually celebrated in a very noisy manner but this year the Nam Hoi Magistrate is sued a proclamation prohibiting the firing

of ornekera.

THE MIKADO. The Mikado attracted a large audience to the Theatre yesterday evening, when the Massotte Opera Company, with a widely different cast, performed for the second signature of the Treaty is believed to be time in this Colony, Gilbert and Sullivan's imminent. latest operatio production; In some respects, the change of cast was for the better; who died on Sunday evening at 7.45, was Hon. W. Keswick explained that he as was done now, the papers being filled up in others, it was not an improvement; and buried this evening at Barrackpur, at 5.15. as a whole, the performance did not go train conveying the friends from Calcutta. nearly so well as it did at the former re- A public funeral in Calcutta had been presentation. To begin with, the part of arranged for, but General Wilson, shortly Nanki Poo, which fell to Mr Walshe, was buried at Barrackpur. It is a strange coingistry and the applicants will have every very poorly acted, indifferently sung, and Hou, Mr Keswick-1 beg to lay on the possible opportunity of knowing exactly had evidently received but little study. what they ought to pay for the services thus. This was painfully felt throughout almost he joined it on first coming to India in very great service rendered to these small the entire performance, and of course, 1888. He was 67 years of age. A Gasetta estates and remove some abuses which interfered greatly with the enjoyment of of India Extraordinary expresses the Prehad been reported both to his bon. the Opera. Mr Walshe was sadily deficient sident in Council notifies the mostraful friend, who was then Registrar General in his noting in the scenes with Yum event, which is all the more meiancholy as Hou Mr Keswick-I beg to ask a ques- (Hon, F. Stewart) and himself; but of Yum, which are among the most in- occurring at a time General Wilson was tion, of which I have given private notice, which he had no positive proof. He exi teresting and pretty in the opera; he looking forward to an early return to his vonrable for the issue of a Loan; but in connection with the quarantine regula plained that the Law Bevision Committee occasionally galloped through his music native land, at the close of a long, and I am informed by the Crown Agents tions of the Colony, and more especially had at one time thought of allowing the law as if he were in a hurry to be off to keep a distinguished, Indian enteer. The flag at that the circumstances which, in with reference to the provision for the to embrace estates of greater value than pressing engagement, and more than once Fort William has been lowered to half-must April last (the date at which the isolation of disease should unfortunately 2500, but it was afterwards thought that that last date at which the duct, high during the whole of to-day, and 15 Colonial Secretary draw up his memor, the Colony be vis:ted by any infections or did not come within their power. He had "The Flowers that bloom in the spring." We minute guns were fired from the rumparts random), would have militated at contagious illness. There is considerable been thinking of extending it bimself, but should recommend him to make a further at the time of the funeral. The pall bearers gainst the success of a Lond, now anxiety felt by the public on that matter. he thought this would offer too many temp. and closer study of the part before next were Sir Thou Baker, General Hughes, General no longer exist; and that at the pre- It is feared that in the event of an tations to undersweer the value of estates, altempting it, and also to try and infines a small lines, Mr. Hope and Sir. sent moment a boar would be raised outbreak of illness that there is no The motion baying been seconded by the little more soul into his acting, which is al- A-Colvin. The detachment of the Queen's at 4 per provision at present, nor any immediate Acting Colonial Secretary and carried, the most and could be Mr Tyrrell Regiment at Barrackpore, furnished the took the part of Koko, the Land High Exa- firing party.

(c. ) In paragraph 8 of the memoran- to ask, Sir, when will the Lezaretto on viz, the second reading of A Bill entitled justice to the music, indeed but for the dum. Mr Marsh states :- I do not Scone-cutters' Island be completed, and An Ordinance to completed and amend local hits, the song Tve Got Em on the take into consideration the less that pending the completion of its construction the Law for presenting France upon Credit List would have fallen drenifully flat the Colony would statain by the what provision will there be ready to meet tors by Scoret Bills of Sale of Personal The rendering of that pathetic little morsel On a Tree was only redeemed by Mr given notice that he would move at the Tyrrell's acting. Mr Tyrrell's conception The Surveyor General-In reply to the next meeting that the Council go into com- of the part was very clever, and the whimsignifies and humour of the character were to state that the buildings of the permanent day, the Council was adjourned until this graphically rought out by him. The Mikado himself was personified by Mr O Brien, who gave a very astisfactory interpretation of that somewhat colourless character. Mr O'Brien, however, was not equal to the demandaof the ponderous patter song ! A more humano Mikado. Ou the other hand. An extraordinary general meeting of the Miss Davenport in changing places with Miss Seymour, taking, the part of Katisha instead of Yum Yum, effected a decided improvement. The part of Katisha, the Andrew's Hall, City Holl, this afternoon, elderly, ugly lady who talks hysterically of her possion for Nania Poo, was much too weighty for Miss Seymour, whose impersonation of the character when the Comthe same place on the 27th February. pany performed the character last was fee-There was some difficulty in getting a ble. Miss Davenport, however, dressed quorum, but ultimately the required num- and acted the part spleudidly, and her imber of shareholders (40) were found. Those personation of this most unamisole chaecolesisstical grants in this Colony. I shall present were :- Mr A. Melver (Chairman), racter and ungracious part was original and

cutioner: and according to his conception

H. Ray, C. P. Chater, J. T. Chater, coedingly charming Yum Yum, acting and Had she received support from again took the part of Pooh-Bah (Lord High entire success. Mr. E. Boott made a good Pish Tush. The other members of the Conpany acquitted themselves well, and the piece was mounted and dressed splendidly. some of the dresses being particularly rich and eleganta Signor Valenza accompanied with ability, doing full justice to the protty music of the opera. The Band of the 58th again played selections during the interval To-morrow night, the Company will appear in Beccaccio, and those who wish to anjoy a most amusing comic opera, excellently acted and sung, ought to patronise the

LATE TELEGRAM

(From Indian Papers.) THE PROVOST MARSHAL OF MANDALAY IN

London, 24th February. -The Under Secretary of State for India, replying to a question in the House of Commons, said the Secretary of State for India had telegraphed to the Viceroy recommending that a Court-Martial be held on Colonel Hooper the Provost Marshal at Mandalay.

THE INDIAN TRLEGRAPH DEPARTMENT. London, 25th February - The Under Secretary of State for India, replying to a question in the House of Commons, said a correspondence was proceeding with the Government of India with the hope of increasing the efficiency of, and remedying all just grievances of, the Indian Telegraph Department.

THE SOUDAN QUESTION. airo. 24th February. - Conferences have taken place between Sir H. D. Wolff. Messrs Baring, Stephenson and Grenfell respecting the settlement of the Soudan frontier, and the question of the re-occupation of Dongola, in consequence of a difference of opinion which exists smong them. The matter has been referred to London.

THE LATE RIOTS IN LONDON. London: 26th February. -Mr Childers proposes to compensate the sufferers by the lute riots from the Police fond. He will reflecting discredit on Americans or on those also appoint a Committee of inquiry, under his presidency, to investigate into tho administration of the Metropolitan Police. 28th Fobruary. - The Socialists were brought up yesterday, at Bow Street, for re-examination, when witnesses were called for the defence, including Lieutenaut-Colonel Sir G. Henderson, the Commissioner of Police.

RMPLOYMENT OF BRITISH OFFICES IN THE London, Feb. 2. - The Secretary of State for the Colonies replying to a question in the House of Lords said the Committee appointed to consider, in conjunction with the Agents' General of the Colonies, the question of employing British Officers in the service of the Colonies, have sent in their report, which was now under the consideration of the Government The Duke of Cambridge said he approved the scheme, and promised to give every encouragement

the Colonies BRITISH NOT TO GO TO DONGOLA. The Secretary of State for War replying I so, what are its duties, and when may it said there is no grounds for apprehending that British troops will be employed to re-

EGYPTIAN TROOPS FOR SUAKIK. London, 28th Feb. It has been decided that Egyptian troops are to relieve the Indian troops at Suakin, from the commancement of May.

THE CHOPTER QUESTION. In the House of Commons, last night Mr Travelyan introduced a Bill granting to Crofters, fixity of Tenure and fair rent.

THE BALKAN QUESTION. Constantinople, 28th Feb. The negotiations in connection with the Russian refusal to agree to the Clause in the Turko-Bulgarian agreement. by which Prince Alexander binds himself to defend the Turkish dominions, are proceeding slowly. Both Bulgaria and Turkey waive the point regarding an offensive and defensive-alliance and not withstanding this. Russia has raised further objection

Bucharest, lat March - Turkey has come to an agreement with Servia, respecting the wording of the draft Treety. The

DEATH OF GENERAL WELSON, Calcutta: 1st March. General Wilson The funeral was largely attended, a special before his death, expressed a desire to be cidence the he died in the house which was occupied as the Mess House of his old Regiment, the 13th Bengal Infantry, when

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Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and cocepted in transit through Marsailles for the principal places of Europe.
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Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, March 10, 1886.

SHARE LIST.-QUOTATIONS.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day. To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into teenth Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h, near the Kowloong shore k, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the acctions.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf 3. From Jardine's Whatf to the Harbour Master's Office. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.

6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kellett's Island to North Point. 10. Kowloon Wharves.

Flag and Remarks. Destination. Consignees or Agents. Captain. Vessel's Name. TUESDAY, the 23rd March, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, Steamers str. 1439 Mar. 10 Gibb, Livingston & Co. Afghan ..... 8 c Roy ..... Brit. Laid up portation to Yokohama and other Japan Shanghai, &c. Amoy ...... 4 c Koehler ..... Brit. Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and 1433 Mar. 15 lardine, Matheson & Co. To-morrow 2 h Swart ..... Dutch str. Kloon Dock Camelot ...... Daily ......... Brit. str. land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and K'loon Dock ... Oreille...... Dutch str. 1482 Oct. 15 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Swatow & Shanghai To-day Camorta ..... 1101 Mar. 16 Jardine, Matheson & Co. 2 h Bremwer ..... Brit. str. 973 Mar. 17 Morris & Ray CRSs......Amer. str. Carisbrooke ..... str. 1097 Mar. 15 Siemssen & Co. Hamburg To-day c Heasloop ...... Ger. 988 Mar. 17 Butterfield & Swire England, France, and Germany by all c Stocker ..... Brit. 1366 str. Chipchase Castle ..... San Francisco Mar. 13 P. M. S. S. Co. City of New York ..... k Searle ..... Brit. have paid full fare, re-embarking at San c Johnson ...... Haiphong To-morrow Mar. 14A, R. Marty Brit. str. Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) k Hochreuter ... Ger. within six months, will be allowed a discount Amoy and Manila To-morrow 5 c Marquez ..... Span. of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking 1509 Mar. 14 Melchers & Co. gtr. within one year, an allowance of 10 % will 19th inst. Manila 5 h Hamlin ......Brit. Span. be made from Return Fare. Pro-Paid Re-Laid up turn Passage Orders, available for one year, To-morrow Coast Ports ...5 h Ashton ...... Brit. 674 Mar. will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Btr. To-morrow Haiphong 5 cLund ....... Dan. str. Roturn Fare. These allowances do not apply Grafton ...... 3 c Seaborne ..... Brit. str. 1158 Feb. Horsequards ....... 3 c Thompson ..... Brit. str. 896 Mar. 17 Adamson, Bell & Co. Swatow and Amoy To-morrow Freight will be received on board until 4 Iolani ...... 3 k Allason ..... Brit. p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Ab'deen Dock str. 1204 Mar. 3 Adamson, Bell & Co. Japanese ..... Moore ..... Brit. Packages will be received at the office until str. 1507 Mar. 17 C. M. S. N. Co. Shanghai Kwang Lee ...... 3 h Andrew ...... Chi. p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages str. 1394 should be marked to address in full; value Madras ..... 3 c Plengo..... Brit. str. 1354 Mar. 12 Russell & Co. Mark Lane...... 3 c Porter ..... Brit. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo str. 649 Dec. 20 Admison, Bell & Co. Memling ...... 5 k Hutchison ..... Brit. destined to ports beyond San Francisco To-morrow Singapore Repairing Wanchai str. 2035 Mar: 6 Adamson, Bell & Co. should be sent to the Company's Offices in 6 c .....Chi. Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector Holhow, &c. 1011 Mar. 12 Yuen Fat Hong To-morrow Phra Chom Klao ..... 3 c Stratton ...... Brit. str. Pilot Fish ...... 6 c Stopani ..... Brit. 161 For further information as to Passage To-day Yokohama Prinz Albrecht ...... 1 k Brandt ...... Ger. and Freight, apply to the Agency of the 252 Mar. 17 A. R. Marty Saltes ...... 3 h Lerede ...... Fch. Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. Mar. 17 Yuen Fat Hong Ab'deen Dock Mar. 14 P. & O. S. N. Co. Thibet...... 5 c Mudie ...... Brit. str. | 1671 Yokohama & Kobe 19th inst. str. 1609 Mar. 13 P. & O. S. N. Co. Venetia ...... 2 h Clement ...... Brit. 612 Mar. 15 Wieler & Co. etr. Occidental & Oriental Steam-Victoria, B.C. Sailing Vessels Alden Besse ......... 3 c O'Brien ...... Amer. bqe. 947 Jan. Annie Johnson ...... 3 c Hall ............................... Amer. bqe. Anton Gunther ....... 3 k Steinbrugge .... Ger. bqe. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS 23 Douglas Steamship Co. Arabia..... 4 c Robinson ..... Brit. Hamburg 1396 Jan. 30 Carlowitz & Co. Billy Simpson ....... 3 k Brown ...... Brit. STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND. ...... Robinson ..... 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	gonbost	430		455	LieutCom. H. R. Adams	Hongkong
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a Perouse	French corvette	2300	-	-	Capt. Mequat
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Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt 3,000 shs. issued	2,000 1,000	\$ 100 \$ 100	100 50	•••	\$ 2,256.	76 Old, \$4 New, \$2 51 None	Old, \$185 per share, buyers New, \$120 " " 192 per share, cash, buyers
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Luzon Sugar Company, Limited Parak Tin Mining & S'ting Co Selangore Tin Mining Co. (S'hai)	7,000 5,000	8 10 8 5	100 0 all 0 all	•	1,094.	528 <b>%</b>	\$75 " casb, ex div. \$10 " n buyers nomina
Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samata Mining Co. H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., L	40,000	8 1	0 <b>\$</b> 5	•••		7 %	\$8 . cash, buyers \$61 . cash, ex div.
H. & M. Glass Manufacturing Co.,			0.8 50		First year	•	Par, nowinal